

Appl. No. 09/745,104  
Amdt. Dated 11/23/2004  
Reply to Office Action of September 22, 2004

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application. No. :	09/ <sup>475</sup> <del>745</del> ,104	Confirmation No. 5963
Applicant :	Nagesh Vodrahalli	
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office action of September 22, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.